



TRACS Monthly

May 2016



Hello TRACS Community!

In April, the WSFR team completed data entry workshops in Guam and the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands the staff then entered over 70 projects into TRACS!

The TRACS trainers also held several specialized training sessions for the SWG Meeting and the Region 6 Federal Aid Coordinator's Meeting.

Recent TRACS system enhancements:

- In April, the TRACS team deployed some major fixes and enhancements including updates to the GIS data, land form and sensitive project designation. Read more about these updates in [TRACS Release April 2016](#) and [Patch Note](#).
- TRACS also migrated to a new hosting environment under the DOI Foundation cloud for improved security and performance.
- The TRACS team completed an annual review of the geospatial data layers in TRACS. This means better access to updated datasets for both the shared shapes and layers that are provided by state agencies.

If you are new to TRACS or it has been awhile since you used TRACS or attended training, check out some of the new training materials and tools!

- The new **training videos** for the TRACS Basic, Advanced and Legacy Courses are great for self-paced learners and refresher training. The videos are available on the [KMS](#) and on the [TRACS Training YouTube Channel](#).
- **The next live class will be held June 7-9 in Denver, Colorado.** TRACS training is available in a variety of formats including traditional live classroom training, weekly virtual classes and self-paced online courses for both Basic and Advanced users. Customized training is also available by request (contact us at tracs-training@fws.gov).

UPCOMING EVENTS

2016 Live Classes

June 7-9, Denver, CO

August 16-18, Denver, CO

September 13-15, Denver, CO

November 15-17, Denver, CO

[Click Here for Info](#)

Weekly Virtual Classes

[TRACS Basic Virtual Class](#)

Tuesdays 8am-4pm

[TRACS Advanced Virtual Class](#)

Wednesdays 8am-4pm

[Drop-In Online Mentoring](#)

Thursdays 8am-12pm

Meetings and Events

TRACS Working Group

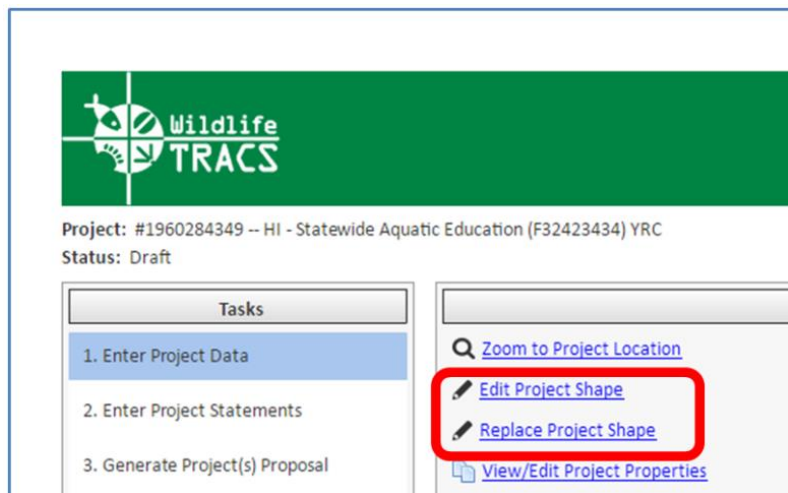
Phone Meeting

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TRACS Tip of the Month

Edit and Replace Shapes

There are some handy functions in TRACS that allow you to edit and replace a project or action shape instead. But it's important to note that if you delete a shape in TRACS, you also delete all of the associated data so use the delete option with caution!



Tip: The “Edit Shape” option will not work with a shared shape (such as a statewide boundary). Instead, use the “Replace Shape” to create a new shape that will replace the existing one.

For more information, visit the [Advanced Shape Editing](#) chapter or watch the [TRACS Advanced Course: Shape Editing](#) video.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact us at tracs-training@fws.gov.

On behalf of the TRACS Team, thank you for your support!

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